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**GW 한국학연구소**

**GWIKS Lecture Series:**

**Nan Kim**

Associate Professor of History at University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

**"The Afterlife of Division: Reconsidering the Post-Summit Reunions of  
Korean Families Separated between North and South"**



Moderated by

**Gregg Brazinsky**

**Interim Director of GWIKS / Associate Professor of History and International Affairs**

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**2:30 pm – 4:30 pm**

**Elliott School of International Affairs**

**1957 E St. NW, Washington D.C. 20052, Room 505**

Lecture Series of Institute for Korean Studies:

Institute for Korean Studies (GWIKS) was established at the George Washington University to strengthen and grow the existing Korean Studies program at GW and promote the Korean humanities in the nation's capital. It is determined to play a leadership role in encouraging and enabling productive research about Korea in the Washington DC metropolitan area. GWIKS Lecture Series is an attempt to bring leading local scholars in Korean studies to GW to interact with GW professionals and students and share their ideas and studies.

GWIKS's first lecture will feature Professor Nan Kim. She is an Associate Professor of History at University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, and specializes in divided Korea and Northeast Asia with their contemporary history, post-conflict reconciliation, historical trauma, theories of subjectivity, memory studies, and anthropology politics. She attained her Bachelor degree at Princeton in English Language and Literature and received her M.A and Ph.D in Social/Cultural Anthropology at University of California, Berkeley. Nan Kim started as an Adjunct Professor at Alverno College and now works for University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee. She received honors from Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation, Korea Foundation, Fulbright, Society for Economic Anthropology, Korea University, and Seoul National University. She is also the author of "Reuniting Families, Reframing the Korean War: Inter-Korean Reconciliation and Vernacular Memory", "Memory, Reconciliation and Reunions of Separated Families in Contemporary South Korea: Crossing the Divide", and "Korea on the Brink: Reading the Yonpyong Shelling and its Aftermath".

Please join us for a vigorous lecture about the summit reunions of Korean families between North and South Korea.